WHEELING, W. VA., TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 1891.

The New Orleans Slaughter Ha

ITALIANS IN THIS COUNTRY

Taking Action, and a Committee from Chicago Enroute to Washington-Foreign Press Opinions-A Serious Situation.

New ORLEANS, March 16 .- In Fathe Manorittas' statement yesterday he said that he was sure that the letter he received was from the Provenzano faction of the Mafia. This statement Mr. Joseph Provenzano this morning most emphatically denies. He said that his first impulse was to have Father Manorittas prested and he consulted Chief Gasher in regard to the matter and was advised the matter, as he thought it would do

more good.

Provenzano says that he has not been for connected with the Matia in any manner. On the contrary he has been an object of their emity. "Years ago," he said, if the Matia sent me several letters, threatening to kill me and my brothers unless we gave the society \$1,000.

"We did not respond, and Jim Curaso alterward came to me and said that he belonged to the society and that we had better pay the money. He said that we could do so by going to the old lake and a bandaging my head in a red handker-hief and leaving the money in a stump in the swamp near by. I was to then go habout my business and they to get the meney.

"I then went to some of my friends when I met under the St. Charles hotel, Jadge Davey, Pat Meally and Ralph Morgan, among the members. They said not to pay it and they would go with me and see who was there to receive it. Jim Guraso, who was along, said this would not do. If you go with a crowd no one will appear. I then dropped the matter and told Curaso that I would have nothing more to do with it, and to give up his fruit stand in the French market and come on the levee and we would make him a freeman. He said he would do so, as he was tired of the Maila, having recently been selected on a committee to kill some one."

THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY INTERVIEWE District Attorney Lusenberg in an interview to-day said, speaking of Politizi's confession, "Rest assured of one Politizi had said anything that

fixit's contession. Acts is sadded to the prosecution to use him as a witness he would have been placed on the stand. His story was rambling and disconnected, and we did not place any reliance in it.

Regarding Politizs' confession to the attorneys for the State, he said that previous to the assassination of Superintendent Hennessey, there was a meeting held at a nouse on North Peter's near Canal street, and largely attended by Italians, among whom were Joseph P. Macheca and James J. Causio. At this meeting it was decided that Hennessey should die, and in order to settle upon who should assassinate him, ten slips of paper were placed in a hat with a large mumber of blanks. Whoever drew the slips bearing the numbers were to do the murder.

When the drawing was over, the men who held the numbered slips were each cover slip of any promised more when it housend times feel the sorrow that to-down and a surface and the state in the Mississippi to wash away. A curse upon the people of Louisiana, and that the tried for the crime.

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Chevelier Kirte, Italian Consul in this city, said this afternoon that no dispatches had been received or sent by him to-day. Yesterday the Consul sent a letter to Governor Nichols urging that he take steps to protect the Italian prisoners now confined in the prison, who are young Marchesi and Incardona, and to endeavor to prevent further violence. Now, however, that Incardona and Marchesi have been released from prison, there remains but one Italian citizen under arrest, Natali. The report having heen circulated that Consul Cortdi had been heard to express his approval of the actions of the citizens on Saturday, as far as some of Cheveller Kirte, Italian Consul in this

nessey. He was positive that some of the slain were innocent, but as to others he would not express himself. The Italian subjects who were slain were Mastero, Marchesi, Trahina and Comitez, but he thought the last named had

but he thought the lest named had taken out naturalization papers. Governor Nichols was in consultation nemrly all day with Attorney General Rogers, United States Senator F. D. White and others. It was given out that the Governor had not replied to Secretary Blaine's dispatch but that a reply would be sent during the day.

CHICAGO'S COMMITTEE

On Its Way to Washington-The Views of s to Washington. Pasqual Corite and holomorphisms are spokesmen for the committee. They talked freely at the station. Mr. Corite, who talks English and sugar ring excitement two years are station. Mr. Corite, who talks English are some hitter fight, he says, was

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"The committee which is here was commanded to go to Washington and to see Secretary Blaine, President Harrison and the Italian Minister, and to demand amends for the wrongs done. Italians in other cities will follow our example, and there will be raised in a few days a fund of \$500,000 to aid the work of securing justice or revenge. I believe the killing at New Orleans will result in war. But if the Italian Government does not further than the security of the security

men."
"You believe in the Mada and the ven-

detta?"

"I believe in revenge. Italians are pressive feature of the New Orleans to-day for \$2,213,330.86 in favor of the revengeful when angered; we are ter-affair was the perfect order maintained Governor of New York as payment in ribly angry."
"What will you demand of this Gov-

"That these concerned in the killing of Italian prisoners be brought to justice, and that full and complete reparation be made to the families of the decessed."

ceased."
"If such demands fail, what?"
"We shall demand of the Italian Government that it compel it."
"What would that amount to, even if Italy should seek to compel sequiescence

"Why, sir, Italy has such a navy that if she so chose she could station her ressels four miles from land and ruin your coast cities. Italy has 180 or more vessels of war. You see what she could

have been the victims of the cruelest outrage ever known.

Virgin alley, the Mecca of Italians, was alive with excitement this morning. There was not much loud talk, but gathered together in small groups were the brown sons of Italy talking over the tragedy of Saturday last.

Felidio Canuti, a very bright Italian, the editor and proprietor of the It Note: Tempi, was seen this morning and said:

"We feel deeply grieved of course, and think that they have been treated unfairly. For myself I will say that its in my opinion the most atrocious crime that was ever committed. You ask me if the Italians here will do anything. I answer that question by asking another. What case we to pay for this. The talk about the jury being bribed is foolishness. All over the country about \$4,000 was collected, and this went to the Irwyers.

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quitted of murder that the press and public were howling for a first degree redict. It did not come, and because the Italians were weak politically and numerally, they imagined it was a good chance to march through the streets with justice painted on a banner, and poses as benefactors to the human race. Wasn't the evidence sgalast the murderers of Dr. Cronin in Chicago a though the streets and times more convincing. They were not murdered. They were Americans and had their friends. I want to state right here that there is no such society as the 'Mafa.' I came in contact with large numbers of Italians, and I would know if there was such a society in this country. There is no such society."

WHAT THEY DEMAND

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CHICAGO, March 18.—The excitement and indignation aroused by the slaying discovered facts that would have unof the New Orleans suspects seems to cloaked their organized bands of assassing rather than to diminish sins and sent a great crowd to the peni-

In the Italian quarter today little groups of men have been gathered all day long and the expressions of opin-ion have been anything but mild. The committee appointed last night to

take charge of the matter of expressing local sentiment has decided to call a mass meeting and at Battery D. The demands for satisfaction as formulated by those Italians in charge of local movement are: Money reparation for the families of the victims, and that the ring leaders of the mob be taken to Washington and tried for the crime.

It is the intention to demand that the State and city officials under whose rule the affair occurred be held responsible and punished with those who actually participated in the killing.

thy Chief of Police and Governor. All those mixed up in this affair have covered with approbrium the places where justice is supposed to be administered."

At the weekly meeting of the Methodist ministers to-day, resolutions were adopted deprecating the tardiness of justice in New Orleans and other cities, yet declaring lynot law "utterly abhorrent to the spirit of our Government and of Anglo-Saxon jurisprudence" expressing fears to the resuit of such lawpressing fears to the result of such law

The resolutions caused a heated dispersively formulated that Consult Cortdi had been heard to express his approval of the actions of the citizens on Saturday, as far as some of the alian were concerned, he was questioned and replied that he hoped justice would be meted out to the marderers of Hennessey. He was positive that some of the slain were innecent, but as to others he would not express himself. The Italian subjects who were slain were that a minister in the Rev. Dr. Bland was strenuously opposed to the passage of the resolutions and went so far as to say: "When the justice must be obtained."

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AN EX-LIEUTENANT'S YIEWS Of the Causes That Led to Chief Hennes

DENVER, Col., March 16.-J. H. Moore, ex-Lieutenant of the New Orleans police force, gives a statement of the causes leading to the killing of Chief of Police Hennessey which throws an entirely new light on the matter. He says that while the Mafia may have had something to do with the murder, he PRINDURGH, MARCH 16.—There passed through the city this morning a committee of tweive prominent Italians going to Washington. Pasqual Corite and to Washington. ntities. They talked freely at the and sugar ring excitement two years all on. Mr. Corite, who talks English nently, said:

"The attendants at our meeting in ideago were the wealthiest Italians in ideago were the wealthiest Italians in ideago. They are all business mently deel acquainted with American intuitions and laws.

The committee which is here was the time of the famous whisky ring and sugar ring excitement two years all out sugar ring excitement was all out sugar ring excitement all out sugar ring excitement was all out sugar ring excitement all out sugar ring excitement all out sugar ring e

Two Newspapers Talk Out About the New

LONDON, March 16 -The Star this evening is of the opinion that "the imaffair was the perfect order maintained

affair was the perfect order maintained throughout the proceedings. The American democracy has sound notions as to what law and order really messi."

The S. James Oscate says: "The ingrident now shows that native Americans have not lost the quality of stern recolution which is sometimes dissolved by a life of comfort and luxury in modern ascisty. The men who organized this defiance and formal justice are not schamed of what they have done. They have defeated a society of foreign rulfians who were trying to terrorise a whole city. It is doubtfull! John Bull has enough grit left in him to protest in as emphatic a manner as the citizens of New Orleans have protested."

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cheny county, and each one of them trouble at New Orleans. He, however, imagines that the Italians in this country have been the victims of the cruelest outrage ever known.

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CHICAGO, March 16 .- W. A. Pinker ton, of the detective agency, was an in-timate friend of the late Chief Hennesthoroughly acquainted with the dangers which threatened the chief. He is

Macheca, who was riddled with bullets Saturday, and who had been on good terms with Hennessy, wanted the latter to assist in convicting the Provenzanas even after it was known the Maßa was producing perjured testimony. Hennessy refused.

During the summer he sent to Italy and got the records of all the witnesses. he dug deeper into the order than any other outsider had ever dared, and when he was here last October, he said he had

sins and sent a great crowd to the peni-tentiary for perjury. Chief Hennessy had told Pinkerton he believed O'Mally had told Machesa and Matranga they must get Hennessy out of the way or all go over the road. The day set for the new trial of the Provenzanas was Octo-ber 15; Hennessy was killed October 13.

If the wind continues it is expected

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 18 .- Dur-Itulian residents of the United States. Baron Fava yesterday sent to the Italian Consul General at New York the follow-

Oonsal General at New York the following telegram:
"I learn from the papers that excitement is prevailing in the Italian colony on account of the New Orleans events. I have to resort to your influence and authority to urge upon the Italians of New York that they should by dignified, calm and strictly legal behavior, show themselves in these circumstances worthy of their civilized country. Relying upon your incontestable authority as well as on the patriotic feelings of the colony, I am sanguine that this advice will be followed.
"It is understood that similar instructions have been sent by Baron Fava to

tions have been sent by Baron Fava to all the other Italian consuls in the United States in order to calm and avert by this means to the fullest extent possiby this means to the fullest extent possible all undue excitement."
No further action will be taken by the Federal Authorities in regard to the shooting of the Italians at New Orleans until after the receipt of Governor Nicholl's reply to Secretary Blaine's letter stating the position of the Government in the matter.

Why the Iron Clad Didn't Come ROME, March 16.—The Popolo Romana o day, referring to the New Orleans tragedy, says that "relying on the foresight of the American authorities and out of regard for a sincerely friendly power, Italy has refrained from sending an iron clad to the meuth of the Mis-

ne plus ultum of cynicism for the people of New Orleans to attempt to justify their action by boasting that the lynchers were headed by leading citizens Even if the Italians concerned were the dogs of the Italian colony the leading citizens had no right to massacre them.

as to all the indictments pending in sec-tion B, of Criminal District Court against the Italians implicated in the Hennessy assassination. This releases Charles Matrange, Incardonia and the Marchesi hoys. The indictments in Section A, Judge Marr's division, still holds Sun-zerri, Patorno, John Caruso, Natalo and Pretzo

ANOTHER LYNCHING.

A Woman, Not Charged With Crime, mob went to the house of Mrs. Wigginton, whose husband and sons are charged with poisoning Mr. Ferguson and Mr. searching for Mr. Wigginton, who has What Mr. Cockrell Said at a Chicago Rein jail, which is strongly guarded.

The Treaty to be Carried Out. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 18 .- The Washington, D. C., March 16.—The Department of State is informed that the ramors that the Brasilian government does not intend to carry out the recent reciprocity agreement with the United States are discredited by the action of the authorities at Rio De Janeiro in issuing instructions to officials throughout the country concerning the free admission of merchandise from the United States. The newspaper of Para, dated February 13, contains an official announcement of the new rates fixed by the agreement directed to the Governor of Para by the general government.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 16 .- Ac ing Secretary Nettleton issued a warrant

The Episcopal Court Sustains the Charges of Heresy.

THE END OF A FAMOUS CASE

The Final Action of the Court to be Taken To-day.

CLEVELAND, O., March 16 .- The Epis

THEY CAME TOGETHER.

the Wreck of the Triana and Galina-Rev enue Cutters Save the Crew.

New Bedford, Mass, March 16. Revenue cutters Dexter, of Newport, and Gallatin, of Boston, arrived in this harbor at 11 o'clock this morning. The

The Dexter left Newport at five o'clock this morning for Gayhead to render what assistance was possible. She arrived at Cuttyhunk at 8:15 o'clock. She west wind. The waves were breaking with terrific force over the Trians and it

If the wind continues it is expected If the wind continues it is expected she will go to pieces. The Dexter only sighted the Galina. She was in the fory of the waves, which were dashing over her with such force that only the top masts could be seen through the mist. The Dexter officers would not speak of her condition or prospects, but said they are much worse than they were yesterday. They think all three vessels will be broken up.

The Gallatin, which left Boston yesterday, arrived at the Vineyard at 10

erday, arrived at the Vineyard at 10 b'clock last night, where she lay till this morning, when she went out into the sound, but because of rough weather, an impossibility to be of service, re-urned. She then sighted Dexter and

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 16 .- A number of telegrams have been received at the Navy Department in regard to Triana and the efforts being made to save them from these, it appears that the Galena and Nina are sahore about a mile from Gaybagd and the Triana is aground at Cuttihunk. The Galena has lost her rudder and rudder post and part of her keel.

elegram was received at the Navy Department this afternoon from Lieut. partment this afternoon from Lieut. Commander Lyon at New Bedford announcing the arrival at Outtyhunk of a wrecking tug from Boston and saying that a southwest gale had so far prevented any operations on its part looking to the rescue of the Triana. Mr. Lyon says that the Triana lies easily in eight feet of water and that the water is within two feet of the upper deck beams.

STRANGE CONDUCT.

NEW ORLEANS, March 16.—The district attorney has entered a nolle prost as to all the indictments pending in section B, of Criminal District Court against the Italians implicated in the Hennessy charles (Darles Charles). went, but he takes this means to avoid a marriage with the lady in questionn. He left for parts unknown to-day. The lady is Mrs. E. Patton, formerly in the milinery business here. She is now visiting her sister, Mrs. Sherwood, at New Straitsville, Ohio, making preparations for the wedding. A house had already heen rented here, when Mr. Williams changed his mind. Both parties were members of the Baptist choir here, and have been keeping company for about ten years. They are re-Mr. STERLING, Ky., March 16.—A pany for about ten years. They are renob went to the house of Mrs. Wigginspectable people, and the action of Mr.
Wigginlilliams comes in the nature of a sur-

GAN'T BLECT CLEYELAND.

CHICAGO, March 16.-A rousing reception was given by the Cook County nocratic Club last night to the 101 Democratic members who succeeded in States Senator after having voted solidly for him 154 times. Farmer Cockrell made an address. He said impressively: "Now, on behalf of 4,000,000 farmers, I wish to warn you that you cannot make Grover Gleveland the next Bregident of the United States."

Grievance Committee Confe OMAHA, NEB . March 16 .- The Griev nce Committee of the conductors and brakemen from the Pacific division o all day with the Assistant General Man-ager Holcomb, of the Union Pacific, consger Holcomb, of the Union Pacific, con-suiting about matters on that division. No decision was reached, and the con-ference still continues to-morrow.

Flumbers Strike. Sr. PAUL, MINN., March 16.-The em ployment by one firm of an objectionable man, the 150 union plumbers in this city this morning failed to put in sn appearance for work. Arbitration seems probable.

Perished a the Snow,

CRYSTAL FALLS, MICH., March 16.-

The dead body of John McGuire was found to-day in the snow, three miles from Mansfield. He started for his nine, five miles distant, over a poor trail last Wednesday and perished,

AGAINST THE CITY,

The Supreme Court of Pennsylvania De-cides that Property Holders Are Not the acts of 1878 and 1889, known as the 'Street Laws," the city of Pittsburg proceeded to pave and grade streets and conduct other municipal improvements until a million and a quarter dollars had

CLEVELAND, O., March 16.—The Episcopal Court which is investigating the charges of heresy against Rev. Howard Macqueary, of Canton, is now in final session. The evidence has all been examined and it is believed the court will find Rev. Mr. Macqueary guilty. How he shall be punished is the unsettled question. It is thought a decision will be given to the public to-night.

LATER—The Court will probably convene to-morrow and finish this week. Rev. Mr. MacQueary was found guilty as charged by a vote of tirree to two. Those voting against him were Dean Morgan, of Trinity, and Rev. Messrs. Aves, of St. John, and Fatnam, of Emmanuel, all of this city. Rev. Messrs. Gallaber, of Painesville, and Smythe, of Toledo, voted "not guilty."
Having been convicted the court took up the question of Mr. MacQueary's penalty.

For the Good Will of a Sugar Refluery Only

Committee to investigate the Sugar Trust resumed its session this morning. Dick, one of the trustees of the Sugar Refining Company, was the first witness Dexter had on board the officers and He testified that the American Suga crew of the Trians, wrecked on Cutty-hunk.

Refining Company was formed in New Jersey because the courts here held such that his real estate, or plant, at the time pany, was worth \$1,000,000. Witnes could only account for the difference be tween the \$1,000,000, the amount he valued his plant at, and the \$2,462,000, the amount he received for it, by saying it must be for the good will of the busi-

ness.

He added that he was prepared to go into details of bookkeeping. Before adjourning until Saturday morning next Senator Vedder, the acting Chairman of the control of the second o

on yes. Schindler addressed the people last i at 10 ll this to the gainst the scheme. He said that Americans had no business to interfer in a European question. Palestine could support only 3,000,000 people, whereas Furthermore, a Jewish commonwealth, if established in the midst of the European powers, would either be obliged to contract an alliance with one of them or be absorbed. One of them or be absorbed. One of them or be absorbed. One of the stablished in the midst of the great reasons for the adventions of the restrictions. The characteristic of the stablished in the midst of the European powers, would either be obliged to contract an alliance with one of them or be absorbed. One of the or the stablished in the midst of the great reasons for the advertise of the stablished in the midst of the stablished in the m Rabbi Schindler's opinion, their deaire to bring about the fulfillment of New

Will Build a College. Sr. PAUL, MINN., March 16.-The Sisters of St. Joseph propose to erect a new college which will stand first among the colleges and universities, of its kind in the entire West. It will consist of a strictly collegiate department, where young women will be able to fird instruction in the most advanced branches. The college will be located at the corner of Randolph and Oleveland avenues. Thirty acres will be reserved for the college grounds. The rest of the 100 acres offered to the Sisters for this purpose will be platted and sold for the benefit of the new institution.

Butterworth and Promotor General Handy will leave to-night for St. Paul to make a World's Fair attack on the Minnesota Legislature. They will work on plaus that have already been laid out by Commissioner Harrison, of that State. It is expected that the Minnesota Legislature will contribute a handsome sum for representation at the World's Columbian Exposition. This trip of thesa iwas the legislature, and proceeded to the residence of I. O. Smith, where Christiansen was lodging. While Christiansen escaped to the police station, the moh attacked Smith, who was holding them at bay, stepped forward and asked if the contribute a handsome sum for representation at the World's Columbian Exposition. This trip of thesa is was held, at which fifty-five men were present. The meeting resolved to their purpose of serenading the happy clubs, and proceeded to the residence of I. O. Smith, where Christiansen escaped to the police station, the moh attacked Smith, who was holding them at bay, and proceeded to the residence of I. O. Smith, where Christiansen escaped to the police station, the moh attacked Smith, who was holding them at bay, and proceeded to the residence of I. O. Smith, where Christiansen escaped to the police station, the moh attacked Smith, who was holding them at bay, and proceeded to the residence of I. O. Smith, where Christiansen escaped to the purpose of serenading the happy clubs, and proceeded to the residence of I. O. Smith, where Christiansen escaped to the purpose of serenading the happy clubs, and proceeded to the residence of I. O. Smith, where Christiansen escaped to the purpose of serenading the happy clubs, and proceeded to the residence of I. O. Smith, where Christiansen escaped to the police station. CHICAGO, March 16.-Solicitor Genera

World's Fair Apprepriation SANTA FE, N. M., March 16 .- The Legislative Assembly of New Mexico appropriated \$25,000 for an exhibit at the World's Fair, and proposed that four Territorial Commissioners be appointed by the Governor. The Commissioners were appointed Saturday.

Attempt to Burn a Hotel SAVANNAH, GA., March 16 .- On Sa urday night a pile of kindling wood and cotton, saturated with kerosene, were ound under the St. Paul hotel a Jessup, evidently placed there by some and that the police will not interfere one bent on incendiarism. P. B. D. forther to close the salcons at night or Stanstell, postmaster at Jessup, and Pay on Sundays. All salcons were wide stryis, both white men, are under arrest.

CINCINNATI, O., March 18 .- A myster ions explosion in a large sawer on Fine ley and Elm streets this morning broke the heavy cap on the manhole and sent up a sheet of fisme that brought out the fire engines. No damage to buildings or persons was done. It is uncertain whether it was caused by sewer gas, illumination gas or what,

S25,000 Firs to Cinclanati, which is Cincinnati, March 16 — Fire last night careful damaged the Sam Weddler & Co. flour and feed mill to the extent of \$25,000.

READING, PA., March 16 .- The reduction in the wages of the Puddlers of the lice force had refused to enforce the law known man entered and assaulted the Glassow Iron Company, at Pottstown, for a year but the Metropolitan Board. from \$3 75 to \$3 50, commencing to-day, named under the act of the Legislature has been accepted and the men continued work. The Leves Broken

New ORLEANS, LA., March 16 .- A crevasse occurred at 4 o'clock this morning in the Bayou La Tourche levee at United States Senator E. D. White's Brondsarde plantation. The break is sixty feet wide and three feet deep. Rainy weather continues.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 16.—The British minister had another conference with the secretary of state this after noon in regard to the Behring sea fiher unt of Bonds Bedsemed The Transfer Formally Made.

Pitrssunon, Pa., March 16.—The control of the Hittshurgh & Western Ballgood was \$11,650 making the total to date \$12,363,500,

Washington, D. C., March 16.—The Williamsrowt, Pa., March 16.—The amount of 4f per cent bonds redesened today was \$11,650 making the total to date \$12,363,500,

RITCHIE COUNTY OIL NEWS.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., March 16 .-The "Dump" Wilson oil well, situated about three miles southeast of Ellenboro, was shot yesterday afternoon Reliable and experienced oil men say that it is from a fifteen to twenty barrel

well. The oil is of an amber color.

The Cairo Oil Co.'s No. 2, which was shot, has been partially cleaned out and has been pumping for several days and

has been pumping for several days and has averaged twenty barrels a day. She is good for that amount hereafter. The Company has located two more wells which are to be drilled at once.

Clark and McCormick will drill another well soon on their lease, south of the one they did complete.

The Pennsboro well was shot Saturday, and put twenty-five barrels of oli in the tank in fifteen hours.

The South Penn Oil Company, which owns over half of the leases that were taken in the county, is paying up rentals.

day, and put twenty-five barrels of oil in the tank in fifteen hours.

The South Penn Oil Company, which cowns over half of the leases that were taken in the county, is paying up rentals wherever due, and the indications are now that business in oil circles in Ritchie will be very active during the spring and summer.

CHARLESTON BREVITIES.

COMMITTEE CAPITAL STANDARD COMMITTEE CAPIT

tems of Interest From the State Capit
—Fire and Drowning.

The special Disposition of the Interest From the State Capital Special Disposition for the Interest February 3, and who was buried under the name of "Fred Evans."

The official description of the Astor Onese suicide as recorded at the morgue in "five feet six inches tall, 23 years old, but the spropriation and the World's fair bills.

The bill authorizing the town of Keyser to issue bonds for water works was vetoed on account of unconstitutionality of its provisions.

Ool. St. Clair of the World's Fair commission returned from Obicago today. Two cottages on Court street, belonging to Mrs. W. A. Quarrier, were burned about noon to-day. They were occupied by John Sneed and John Fadely. The former loet everything he had in the world, without any insurance. The latter saved all his household effects. The billidings were insured.

McDonald Tugker and four others were attempting to cross the river in a skiff yesterday morning at Handley.

This has led to the theory that possi-

were attempting to cross the river in a skiff yesterday morning at Handley, when the skiff upset. All were thrown into the river and Tucker was drowned. He leaves a wife and four children. The body has not been recovered.

New Charters Issued.

Kansas, this morning at 2:15 o'clock Braxton county was the scene of Mr. Frame's boyhood days. He is well known in Wheeling, being connected with several law firms there. He will be buried in Kansas. Injuries from being thrown from a buggy caused his dasth

MARTINBBURG, W. VA., March 16,popular young man, died at the residence of his father, Solomon Thornburg, this morning. This makes three of his fam-ily who have died of consumption within the last few months, and his father's death is expected daily. He was twenty

A Serious Joke. Winchester, Онір, March 16.—Satur day night John Smith, living at White bian Exposition. This trip of these two stepped forward and asked if there was Exposition Generals is but the beginning of a policy that is to be carried out to secure the appropriations. tered the oath. Burris all this time regarding it a practical joke, as he had no license. The minister informed Burris, lowever, that the marriage was legal.

> Wide Open on Sanday. Stoux City, IA., March 16.—In view of the numerous prosecutions lately begun by the Law and Order League sgainst the saloons, Mayor Palmer has rdinance will no longer be enforced

nthly about \$2,000 in fines. Ten Thousand Sneezers MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., March 16 .- L. grippe claimed its first victim in Minne-

spolis this winter in the person of Thomas Callaban, an aged gentleman Inomes Callaran, an aged gentleman from Ohlo, who has been visiting with his daughter, Mrs. James Heaney. La grippe, or rather that which most people designate as such, prevails to an extent which has caused much uneasiness. A careful estimate places the number of cases in this city at fully ten thousand.

Saloens Ail Closed. DENVER, March 16 .- Every saloon in the city was closed yesterday. The po-

The Joe Williams Sinks Some Coal. CAIRO, ILL. March 16 .- While the towboat Joseph Williams, the largest on the river, was towing five coal boats to arrest two negroes in a dance house it struck one of the piers of the Illinois for carrying concealed wespons, he was contral bridge at this place, sinking shot and killed, and a bystander, named take about it. It cures diarrhos, regathree of the boats and loging \$15,000 Frank Michaels, was mortally wounded. worth of coal.

while Preparing for Church.

Springerian, Outo, March 10,—
Charles Koenig, grocur, dropped dead class from heart failure while preparing in the craddle with the haby.

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RUTTINGER MYSTERY.

Suspicion that the Whole Affair is an Ingenious

GRAVEYARD INSURANCE PLOT.

Ruttinger's Life Was Insured for Thirty Thousand Dollars and There Are Several Queer Circumstances in the Matter.

New York, March 16 - District Attorney Fitzgerald, of Tottenville, L. I., death of Carl Ruttinger, to-day found in a valise among Ruttinger's effects, pho-

The official description of the Astor

There is nothing known of the rela-

branch of a New York Company in the aggregate sum of \$30,000.

This has led to the theory that possibly the body which was found bound and gagged in the marshes at Tottenville was not that of Ruttinger, and the whole mystery is an ingeniously contrived graveyard insurance plot. In other words, it is suggested that the conspirators may have obtained a body of a man very much resembling Ruttinger in appearance, shipped it to Tottenville, dressed it up in Ruttinger's clothes and, dressed it up in Ruttinger's clothes and, placing the passport in the pocket, dumped the disguised corpse into the arbor with the expectation that when found the only means of identification would be the clothing and the written

DID NOT LYNCH HIM, But Left the Church in a Quict, Orderly

PITTEBURG, March 16.-In the absence from the city yesterday of Rev. J. R. J. Milligan, the regular pastor of the church, Prof. D. B. Wilson, of the Allegheny Theological Seminary was

Allegheny Theological Seminary was sasigned to fill his place. When he appeared in the pulpit to conduct the services, almost the entire congregation arose and left the church.

Less than a score of members remained seated and Professor Wilson delivered his sermon without comment. The trouble is the outgrowth of the recent heresy trials of which Professor Wilson was the prosecutor. Among the eight was the prosecutor. Among the eight young ministers suspended for heretical utterances was Rev. J. R. J. Milligan. His congregation stood by him, however, and when the attempt was made to fill the pulpit with his prosecutor the members quietly and without apparently concerted action withdrew.

Sigux Ciry, Iowa, March 16 .- Fifteen Scandinavians are under arrest for an attempt to lynch Lars Christiansen. He was suspected by Peter Larenson of in-Saturduy a meeting of Larenson's friends was held, at which fifty-five men

nd beat him savagely. Larenson and the ringleaders are under arrest, and he is now satisfied that his suspicions of his wife were un-founded.

He's a Cut Flower Now.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 17.-Joseph Violet, twenty-five years old, is in a crit ical condition, the result of several shot inflicted by his aged father, Aloys Vioone wound being in the chest, one in the abdomen and the third in the thigh.

For Killing His Father, cuit Court Judge Campbell announced that the first trial would be that of Fred Hundley, charged with the murder of his lather, Hon. Z. T. Hundley, of this city, last June. Fred is but 17 years of age, and appears quite indifferent as to his fate. Mr. Hundley was a prominen politician, and at the time of his death was chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee and editor of the Huron Herald-Democrat, the leading Democratic paper of South Dakota. maneuvres which are to take place on

A Fiend's Deed. Mr. PLEASANT, MICH., March 16, Dennis Burns left his home in Nice, 11 miles north of here, yesterday and his lor a year, but the Metropolitan Board, on smed under the act of the Legislature hide the crime. The house to fast passed, has taken hold, and not a drop of liquor was sold yesterday except in restaurants, with meals. hide the crime. The house was destroyed. The girl was so hadly hurned that she died in an hour after telling her story.

Houston, Tex., March 16.—While Officer James E. Tenn was attempting to arrest two negroes in a dance house for carrying concealed wespons, he was pend upon it, mothers, there is no missender of the property of the poor little sufferer imediately. Descriptions of the property of the poor little sufferer imediately.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Judge John S. Brady, of the Süpreme Court, is dead. The Judge was stricken with paralysis last night and died early this morning.

James A. Woods Found Dead in a Road

CINCINNATI, March 16 .- This morning Boulanger's Sciourn at Brussels the body of James A. Woods was found dead with a bullet hole in his head in a Puzzles Politicians.

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road house three miles from the city. At the time, the cause of death was sur-INTERVIEW WITH DEROULEDE

Late this afternoon a sensation wa

In Which He Makes Some Significant Statements Regarding the Franco-German Complications Parnell Toasted Alive

Late this afternoon a sensation was caused by the appearance of Mr. Will A. Stevens, of the well known dry goods firm of Weatherby, Stevens & Co., at the office of the Superintendent of Police accompanied by his attorney, Judge M. F. Wilson, where he made the voluntary statement that he fired the shot which killed Mr. Woods.

By the advice of his attorney he refused to say anything further than that Paris, March 16 .- The continued sofused to say anything further than that the shooting was accidental. It is said that there has been an effort to cover up the facts, but that it has been discovered ouzzles the knowing ones. M. Paul said to your correspondent: "It is true but it was to see Rochefort. General Boulanger had not reached the Belgian capital when I was there and Rechalori left before his arrival. Here is a letter drew from his hip pocket a note from

nor heard from General Boulanger for

that if he came he should never leave this city alive. But he will not come now. He sees by the reception given his mother, which was dignified but de-cided, that he could not come. So we have saved Paris this indignity of hav-ing to open its gates to the grandson of William and the son of Frederick who trod our streets as conqueror. It me you want?" Hall went out, and was then and there charged with having a wife and family in England. After some hesitation, Hall admitted that he had been married, but claimed that he had been divorced from his wife. The matter becoming known, the greatest excitement prevailed, and in the midst of it, after the newly made wife had given back the wedding ring Hall disappeared and has not since been seen. It is supposed that he left for Clevelaud on the night train, and the friends of the young lady are now

Mr. Timothy Healy Molds Him Up to the

Dublin, March 16 .- Mr. Timothy Healy, during the course of his speech at Newry yesterday, said that when Mr. Paruell was wanted at the tenants' defense league meetings he had always a

Paris, March 16.—The Temps today New York, March 16.—In a negative correspondent easying that the Spaniah fashion, the following card given out to-day, is significant when it is remembered that Mr. Glesson refused to recognize a meeting some time since at which resolutions were adopted. Here is the card;

New York, March 16, '91.

In view of misleading statements, I deem it necessary to say that the Irish Antilles. A lowered tariff on the Online.

Netional Legens has there we existe a second correspondent easying that the Spaniah Cabinet's projects of reciprocity with the United States contained and projects of reciprocity with the United States contained and projects of reciprocity with the United States contained and projects of reciprocity with the United States contemplate and middles, United States industrial and agricultural projects of reciprocity with the United States contemplate and middles, United States industrial and agricultural projects of reciprocity with the United States contemplate and middles, United States industrial and agricultural projects of reciprocity with the United States industrial and agricultural projects of reciprocity with the United States industrial and agricultural projects of reciprocity with the United States industrial and agricultural projects of reciprocity with the United States industrial and agricultural projects of reciprocity with the United States from the United States and projects of reciprocity with the United States of any or the United States and projects of any or the United States of any or the United States of any or the United

Press, the McCarthyite organ, to-day says that "triumph after triumph was scored by the Nationalista yesterday throughout the country. The voice of the nation is becoming heard and it is interesting to watch the daily increasing intensity Press, the McCarthyite organ, to-day says

London, March 16. - Mr. William Henry Smith, the first Lord of the

Henry Smith, the first Lord of the Treasury, in the House of Commons to-day announced that the Government had come to the decision that no woman representative of labor or other organizations could be placed upon the labor could make before a magistrate. BERLIN, March 16 .- The Emperor and

the Moravian frontier in September Mr. Breckenridge Convalescent. WASHINGTON, March 10 .- Representative Breckenridge, of Kentucky, who suffered from a slight attack of grip in Florida, continues to improve rapidly. It appears that the report of his serious illness was exaggerated.

durman. From the reports received, it appears that about 100 dervishes were killed by an explosion there which destroyed immense stores of ammunition and shattered the areanal building and everything in the immediate vicinity.

lates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best fermie physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mas. Winslow's Soothing Syrue," MWYAW

yesterday, and the episode promises to cut some figure in the coming municipal

He Writes a Card.

New York, March 16 .- In a negative

National League has taken no action re-

garding the reception of any Irish dele-gates, Parnellite or Anti-Parnellite.

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to watch the daily increasing intensity of the Parnellite's "ssaults upon the

Buscham's Pills cure Bilious and

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

which he states that he has neither seen

fired the shot.

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"He wishes to weaken my influence in Paris. He knows that his army is not yet completely furnished with the new rifles nor familiar with the handling of it. He seas Italy falling away from the Triple Alliance and Russia threatening him as never before on the nothed had the relation or the season that the tragedy had any other cause in Paris. He knows that his army is not yet completely furnished with the new rifles nor familiar with the handling of it. He seas Italy falling as moty yet. His renewed severe treatment of Alsace-Lorraine is directed against us Boulangists plotting at Brussels over the critical situation created by the reception of the sout Boulangists plotting at Brussels over the critical statistion created by the reception of the sout Boulangists plotting at Brussels over the critical statistion created by the reception of the ready yet. His renewed severe treatment of Alsace-Lorraine is directed against us Boulangists and not in order to provoke France to war.

"He wishes to weaken my influence in Paris. He knows that

the friends of the young lady are now condemning themselves that they made no attempt to stop the flight. Steps will at once be taken to have the marriage THE CUMMUNE ANNIVERSARY
Celebrated in Oblicage by the Anarchists and Other Stood Curdters.

Chicago, Lill, March 16.—The Paris commune anniversary was celebrated yesterday in a festal manner with speeches, songs and dances by a half-dezen Nationalist societies. Exercises and balls were held in various halls, leader and the Mr. Paraell of the untainted leader and the Mr. Paraell of 1891. Mr. dozen Nationalist soeleties. Exercises between Mr. Parnell the untainted solutions talked in almost every modern torque eugolistic of the commune, and the memory of its leading spirits were toasted. The celebration began Saturand balls were held in various halls, orators talked in almost every modern tongue eugolistic of the commune, and the memory of its leading spirits were toasted. The celebration began Saturday night with a meeting with closed doors in a West Side hall. The red flag of the commune was displayed on the stage, and busts of Spica and Lings, the Haymarket Anarchists, were draped with sashes of the same sampularly color. The police received an intimation of the fact and compelled the removal of the emblems after a riot had been narrowly averted. This action by the authorities was denounced in the various meetings yesterday, and the episode promises to out some figure in the coming numicipal

published a dispatch from its Madrid correspondent saying that the Spanish

co imported from the same islan the United States is also asked for in re-turn for the privilege Spain proposes to

LONDON, March 16 .- The Hamburgmerican steamer Servia, from New York, February 28, for Hamburg, which

Writ of Habeas Corpus Refused. LONDON, March 16 .- Her majesty's high court of justice Queen's Bench today refused to grant a writ of habean

London, March 16.-The steamer Roxburgh Castle, Captain Tyrer, was sunk Chancellor Von Caprivi will, it is an- off Ushant by a collision. Capt. Tyrer nounced, be present at the Austrian army and one seaman were saved, but it is feared that the remainder of the steam-

er's craw were lost. The Roxburgh Castle was a screw steamer of 1222 tons register. She hailed from New Castle, An Arcenal Explosion. CAIRO, March 16.-A terrible Gleaster occurred to-day at the arsenal of Orndurman. From the reports received,

Waiting Further Orders, Touton, March 16.-The men-of-war which have just been completed here for the Chillan government, and which

he Insurgents in Chillan requested should not be allowed to proceed to Chillan waters, will be detained at this port until receipt of further orders. Six Months to Gasp In. Conk, March 16 .- At a largely atended meeting at Michaelstown, this county, yesterday, many priests being

present, the spinion was generally ex-pressed that Mr. Parnell would be politically dead six months from now. Eminent English Engineer Dead. LONDON, March 16.—Sir Joseph Bazal-gette, C. B., the eminent English engi-user, who was once before reported dead, died to-day.

do."

In this strain Corite continued until the Italian Consul in this city, declined to be interviewed concerning the door from Market street,

Stirred Two Nations.